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STEARNS, KY.

Perhaps it would interest your readers to know something about this growing mining town. It will not be out of place to say something of our town and its surroundings. It is a new town of almost magic growth located on the C. S. R. R. in Whitley county, about one mile from the Pulaski line and about 70 miles south of Stanford and only a few miles from the Tennessee line.

It is said the company owns and controls 90,000 acres of coal and pine land and millions of dollars to develop this land.

We have a large hotel, beautifully situated and the building would compare well with many of the hotels to the Blue Grass towns. The residences are being built by the Stearns Coal Co. and are rented to their employees. They are above the average houses built by such corporations, being substantial, comfortable, framed weather-boarded, lathed and plastered.

We have an express and telegraph office and a postoffice. The company's store is up-to-date and well filled with a large stock of goods. The industries here are owned by the Stearns Coal & Lumber Co., of Ludington, Mich., operating in three departments, Stearns Coal Co., Stearns Lumber Co., Kentucky & Tennessee R. R. Co.

The railroad under construction from this point to the mines, a distance of four miles is nearing completion, already over one mile being ready for use. The companies are having the mines opened and will be ready for operation when the road is completed to that point. Mines are being opened on a large scale and this will be one of the largest plants of the kind in the State. It will be equipped with the best improved electrical machinery for mining and hauling coal.

The company's mills and factories will be located at this place to convert the timber into merchantable lumber. The company will begin building about the first of March. It will make a building boom at this town and give employment to every body at fair wages. Men in charge, representing the companies, are energetic business men of the highest type and are representatives of different States in the Union. We welcome any good citizen to come and invest his capital and energy to help develop this portion of the State and thereby increase the revenue of the State. The work laid out to be done by this company during 1903 means a large capital to be expended. This seems to be a very healthy country.

M. D. WALL.

Escaped an Awful Fate.

Mr. H. Higgins, of Melbourne, Fla., writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery. It surely saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by all Druggists. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Twenty-five thousand acres of rich mineral lands in Christian and Hopkins counties have been sold to an Eastern syndicate.

A Nervous Woman

Will often feel compelled to stop the clock whose ticking seems unbearable to her. In such a nervous condition the woman needs a building up of the entire system. It is useless to attempt the cure of the nerves while the cause of the nervousness remains unremoved. A very common cause of nervousness in women is a diseased condition of the delicate womanly organism.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures womanly diseases and the nervousness which they cause. It changes irregularity to regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It is a perfect tonic and nerve, tranquilizing the nerves, promoting the appetite and inducing refreshing sleep.

"When I first wrote you I had been to three different doctors and two of them said I would never get better without going to the hospital for an operation," writes Mrs. Selma Erickson, of 456 Rice Street, St. Paul, Minn. "Was not able to do anything. If I would get up and walk to the kitchen and back I would have to lie in bed for a day or sometimes two days. Now I have used six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and six of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and the result is just wonderful. I was so nervous I had to have one by my side all the time even in day time, and I could hardly eat anything. I took treatment from a doctor twice a week, and every time I would go there I felt so sick, but since I quit all the doctors and began taking your medicines I gained right along. I weighed 125 pounds, when I began taking your medicines in August and now I am up to my usual weight 165. I am as well and feel as good as ever."

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NEWS NOTES.

The weather in Texas is the severest in years.

Small-pox has again made its appearance at Carlsbad.

The small-pox situation at Campbellburg is improving.

Louisville is having difficulty in securing a supply of charity coal.

William R. Trigg, a prominent ship-builder of Richmond, Va., is dead.

Col. J. Henry and Mrs. Lizzie E. Clardy were married in Washington.

Great crowds are gathered at New Orleans for the Mardi Gras festivities.

Three students of Cornell died of typhoid fever in one day. Many others have it.

Henry Cooklin is dead at Niles, Mich., as the result of a cat scratch on his hand.

John Willoughby, who was shot at Mt. Sterling by James Freeman, died of blood poison.

An Illinois man gave up 10 square inches of skin and flesh to be placed on his brother's leg.

The Dolores mine in Chihuahua, Mexico, has been sold to the London Venture Co., for \$2,150,000.

A train load of coal billed from Lexington to Indianapolis, was sent out in charge of an armed guard.

An increase of 10 percent in Chicago's mortality during January, 1902, is attributed to the lack of fuel.

The Mechanics' National Bank of Philadelphia, has gone out of business after an existence of nearly 100 years.

Lieut. R. E. Peary says he hopes to make another effort to reach the North Pole, provided he secures a proper ship and equipment.

The city of Paducah has received from Eagle Lake, Tex., three fine bloodhounds to use in tracking criminals. They cost \$300.

Chaplain H. C. Gavitt, of the First Cavalry, United States Army, was ordered court-martialed on account of alleged refusal to pay a debt.

Wm. J. Scott, former attorney general of Tennessee, and son of the man who was the original of Mark Twain's "Col. Mulberry Sellers," is dead.

It was decided by the coal operators of Kentucky that they would contribute about \$10,000 to the fund for making a coal exhibit at the St. Louis World's Fair.

The Board of Lady Managers of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at a meeting in New York yesterday decided not to undertake the erection of a woman's building at the fair.

The Lexington Fire and Police Commission discharged Chief of Police Jno. Wilkerson and five others. It is said to be the work of Mayor DuSacco's friends and that no special charges were preferred.

Tax-payers Pay for the Flowers.

Perhaps most people who read the enthusiastic reports of Washington correspondents describing the brilliant floral displays on the desks of members when Congress opens, suppose that the flowers come from constituents of the members or from admiring friends in the social circles of Washington. There is nothing of the kind. The Chicago Chronicle says that the "tribute of flowers" is paid—that is, handed in—by government clerks who are indebted to the congressmen for the positions which they hold. The flowers do not cost anything to the clerks and other employees who supply the wealth of floral decorations. Every leaf, bud and blossom composing the variegated display, is procured without cost at the government conservatories at Washington. It is not, however, without cost to the taxpayers of the country. We pay for the maintenance of the government conservatories.

We pay the salaries of the government employees who obtain in these realms of color and fragrance the bouquets, emblems and wreaths with which they smother the desks and seats of the Congressmen through whose influence they obtained their appointments. This fact, if well understood throughout the country, might serve to soothe many aching hearts. The domestic, stay-at-home wives of rural members of Congress who read about the magnificent tribute of flowers on the desks of their husbands at Washington, have no cause for anxiety or alarm. It is no sign that their husbands have succumbed to the blandishments of Washington society. It is evidence only that grateful department clerks and other employees have obtained at the public garden a lot of flowers to adorn the member's desk. The department employee did not even have to "blow in" his money to buy the "floral" tribute. The whole business is a sham and a shame.

Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Bruises, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at all Drug Stores.

CRAB ORCHARD.

Bowen Gover, of Hustonville, was with friends here. Wix Dillon, of Livingston, made a flying visit here a few days ago.

We have been in the throes of a well developed blizzard for the past few days, with a six-inch snow to add to its disagreeableness.

Mr. Chas. Singleton has returned from his trip to St. Louis. He says he got enough of railroad work. Took only two runs out on the train.

Mr. Wm. Sowers, of Preschersville, died there Saturday and was buried at Brodhead Sunday afternoon. He was a brother of Mrs. Rogers and was 76 years old.

It was our pleasure to go out for a drive during the lovely weather of last week. We stopped at nearly all the stores to see the new goods. All the merchants seemed to be busy.

Miss Byrt James gave a handsome luncheon several evenings ago in honor of Maurice Perkins. Misses Annie and Catherine Bronaugh, entertained recently with a card party. Those who attended were Messrs. Morris Willis and Perkins and Misses James and Holdam.

Mrs. Riddle and little daughter, mother and sister, of our clever town marshal, were visiting them lately. Mrs. Sam Scott returned to her home in Somerset after a lengthy visit to relatives here. Little Miss Katie King entertained quite a number of her young friends Friday evening. Nice refreshments were served and all report a pleasant evening. Her little cousin, Marshall McCullom, was her guest from Junction City.

Mrs. Curtis Gover gave a Fitch party Monday evening in honor of Miss Sallie B. Ray. Delightful refreshments were served and her guests were Misses Bronaugh and James, Messrs. Clinecales and Perkins. A. H. Bastin was over from Lancaster last week.

Mr. Robert Pettus, of Bryansville, was a guest of Dr. J. D. Pettus and family. Hon. Harvey Item was here Saturday on business. Burch Buchanan is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jane Buchanan.

Miss Jean Lasey spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Dickinson. The friends of Messrs. Geo. Evans and George Patten regret to hear of their illness. James T. Chadwick and little daughter, Melsadie, are visiting relatives in Tazewell, Tenn. Mrs. D. Edulston was improved sufficiently to go out driving last week.

THE BRICK-TOP GIRL.

The red-haired girl has found another champion. Not the auburn-haired or the Titian-locked girl, but the real brick-top.

There is a man in New York who does on red-haired typewriters. No other need apply. He would not have any other kind around the place. Yet they invariably leave him.

"You simply can't keep a red-haired typewriter," he says. "They are sure to marry off or better themselves in some other way. And it is no wonder. Red-haired girls are smarter, brighter and prettier than any other kind. Besides they are such a relief from the ever-recurring black-haired, yellow-haired, sandy-haired, brown-haired women you meet."

"Then the red-haired girl has such cheerful appearance; she lights up a room so."

If there is any reason why the spirit of a mortal should be proud, the girl with the flaming locks is entitled to be stuck up. No other girl is so frequently the subject of conversation as she, and none has such ardent supporters.

Was not Cleopatra a red-head? Was not Sappho? Were not a score of other notable women, whose beauty and fame still shine undimmed? Is not Mrs. Leslie Carter a brick-top? And besides that who ever heard of a red-haired girl marrying a bogus lord who was fuller of hot air than the sea is full of salt?

Buy It Now.

Do not wait until you or some of your family are sick nigh unto death, and then send for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, but buy it now and be prepared for an emergency. It is the one remedy that can always be depended upon in the most severe and dangerous cases. For sale by Craig & Hocker.

The St. Clair Hotel at Port Huron, Mich., was destroyed by fire. The guests escaped in their night clothes. An employe is missing and a fireman was fatally crushed.

Frank A. Lapham, a New York steel man, was stricken dead while congratulating his sick wife on her improved condition.

Frank Cook, of Eastman, Ga., has confessed that he killed his wife several days since.

The reports of a gold strike in Alaska equaling that of the Klondike are confirmed.

Another rich gusher has been struck in the Bath county oil field.

HUSTONVILLE.

Josiah Bishop has returned from Pulaski with a bunch of two and four-year-old mules.

We are informed that Mr. Roy Rose and family are preparing to move back from Longview, Ala.

Emmet McCormack has returned from Lebanon where he bought at public sale for something over \$11,465 the Tucker farm laying on the pike between Lebanon and Bradfordville.

C. K. McClure, R. F. D. No. 1, has taken rooms for the present at the college. V. B. Morse just returned from making his spring purchases in Cincinnati and says on Monday there was such a furious gale that business was almost completely paralyzed.

A move is on foot to open a first class furniture and undertaking house here and carry a line of carpets, matting, &c. The trade tributary to this point in this line would certainly justify this effort to hold the legitimate trade here, that now has to go elsewhere.

The J. W. Lockridge Spoke Co. is buying second growth oak spokes, a feature that has not before been pushed in this locality. The prices he is paying delivered on his yard here seems to have induced many from other lines of timber work and thousands are being received daily. He wants a million for immediate shipment.

Geo. E. Alford, our hustling liveryman, has just returned from Glasgow with the best four-year-old mare in Kentucky for exhibition purposes. She will be given the finishing touches in her education necessary to make the work easy in taking the blue tie at St. Louis and any other points, where the game will be worth the ammunition.

With a howling 35-mile an hour wind, the tail of the Alaskan blizzard struck us amidship Monday and broke the record for the season—the mercury falling 40 degrees in less than 24 hours; stopping a little below 0 with about 10 inches of the beautiful covering mother earth. The loss by the farmers in lambs during this spell will add quite a list to the loss by dogs.

HIGHLAND.

The cold weather plagues. John Butt is sick. Dr. O'Bannon was called to see him.

C. H. Baker sold to James Smith, of Maywood, six 125-pound hogs for \$12. He also sold to Thomas Butt a horse for \$55.

K. G. Martin began a school at our school house in January and after teaching one month he closed his school and went to farming. Miss Ora Williams, of near Eubanks, came and took charge of the school and is teaching it.

Thomas Baker has returned from Somerset. Logan Bryant and family are visiting in Pulaski. A. G. Faulkner was at home with his family Sunday. George Coffey and children were visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Canzada Epperson, last week.

On last Sunday about 50 persons assembled at C. M. Young's in honor of his father, H. P. Young, who celebrated his 77th birthday. After partaking of a splendid dinner prepared by Mrs. Young and other relatives, Rev. Geo. Thompson addressed the crowd present.

Rev. George Thompson, who has been assigned to the Kingsville circuit to fill out the time of Rev. W. H. Thompson, who was transferred to the Indiana conference, preached at the Methodist church Sunday and Sunday night. The members of the Christian church have not yet employed any preacher for this year.

A PROPOSITION.

While Rockefeller's digestion. Is strictly on the bum, Mine will crush a paving brick As easy as a plum.

He spends fortunes every year For liquid food distilled, While I'm hustling for any kind To keep my larder filled.

He'd give millions, so 'tis said, As quick as a pewter dime For a gastronomic capacity As strong and good as mine.

If they keep on organizing trusts Throughout the eating line, I'll sell out durn-nation cheap, For I'll have no use for mine.

—R. LEE SUTER.

A Mother's Recommendation.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by Craig & Hocker.

Frank James and Cole Younger, former members of the James gang of train robbers and highwaymen, have bought a Wild West show and will go out on the road with it.

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Penny's Drug Store, Stanford Ky.

A WORD!

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Craig & Hocker, STANFORD

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